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## Hockey Weekend Glides Into Mount Vernon RECenter

The Fairfax County Park Authority's Mount Vernon RECenter, in support of USA Hockey, is hosting a Hockey Weekend event on Saturday, February 16, 2008 to celebrate the sport of hockey and its fans.

Join other hockey enthusiasts from 9 to 10 a.m. for a stick and puck session. This session is open to anyone ages five and older who wants to work on hockey skills. Practice drills will be run by the Northern Virginia Hockey Club. Full gear is required for those under 16. The \$10 fee includes skate rental and admission to the public skating session from 10:15 a.m. to noon. Bring a friend and receive a free guest pass for future skate sessions.

A pick-up hockey game begins at 12:15 p.m. The cost is \$8 for county residents, \$10 for out-of-county visitors. Full gear is required for skaters ages 16 and older. Due to limited space, a maximum of 30 participants is allowed.

For more information, please contact Ice Director Emilie Danco at 703-768-3224 x219 or Ice Operations Manager Scott Garland at 703-768-3224 x211. Email emilie.danco@fairfaxcounty.gov or scott.garland@fairfaxcounty.gov.

Mount Vernon RECenter is located at 2017 Belle View Blvd. in Alexandria.

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